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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

Office Action Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
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-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address --

Period for Reply

A SHORTENED STATUTORY PERIOD FOR REPLY IS SET TO EXPIRE 3 MONTH(S) FROM THE MAILING DATE OF THIS COMMUNICATION.

- Extensions of time may be available under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). In no event, however, may a reply be timely filed after SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- If the period for reply specified above is less than thirty (30) days, a reply within the statutory minimum of thirty (30) days will be considered timely.
- If NO period for reply is specified above, the maximum statutory period will apply and will expire SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- Failure to reply within the set or extended period for reply will, by statute, cause the application to become ABANDONED (35 U.S.C. § 133). Any reply received by the Office later than three months after the mailing date of this communication, even if timely filed, may reduce any earned patent term adjustment. See 37 CFR 1.704(b).

Status

- 1) Responsive to communication(s) filed on 21 January 2005.
- 2a) This action is FINAL. 2b) This action is non-final.
- 3) Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

Disposition of Claims

- 4) Claim(s) 1-25 is/are pending in the application.
- 4a) Of the above claim(s) _____ is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- 5) Claim(s) _____ is/are allowed.
- 6) Claim(s) 1-25 is/are rejected.
- 7) Claim(s) _____ is/are objected to.
- 8) Claim(s) _____ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

Application Papers

- 9) The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) The drawing(s) filed on _____ is/are: a) accepted or b) objected to by the Examiner.
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).
Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).
- 11) The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119

- 12) Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) All b) Some * c) None of:
1. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
2. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.

Attachment(s)

- 1) Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
- 2) Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
- 3) Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08)
Paper No(s)/Mail Date _____
- 4) Interview Summary (PTO-413)
Paper No(s)/Mail Date. _____
- 5) Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)
- 6) Other: _____

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1. This office action is in response to the amendment filed on 1/21/2005.
2. Claims 1-25 are pending and remain rejected (see the previous office action 10/19/2004 for rejection to these claims).

Response to Arguments

3. Applicant's arguments filed 1/21/2005 have been fully considered but they are not persuasive.

Applicant has argued:

1) Franco does not disclose or even suggest "enabling dragging of a graphical representation of said selected application towards a graphical representation of a compartment of said trusted operating system" as recited by Claim 1; "displaying a graphical representation of a plurality of compartments of said trusted operating system" and "enabling dragging of a graphical representation of said application towards a graphical representation of a compartment of said plurality of compartments" as recited by Claim 12; "display portion displaying at least one compartment of said trusted operating system" and "dropping of said graphical representation of said at least one application on a graphical representation of said at least one compartment" as recited by Claim 17, and "enabling selection of an application from one or more applications" and "enabling association of said selected application with a compartment of the trusted operating system" as recited by Claim 22.

2) Franco does not disclose "a graphical representation of a compartment of a trusted operating system". The recognition of a particular file type, without more, does not establish a "trusted" operating system.

Examiner's response:

1) Franco clearly disclose "enabling dragging of a graphical representation of said selected application towards a graphical representation of a compartment of said trusted operating system" as recited by Claim 1 (col. 5 lines 10-17, "downloading to client computer a graphical representation of the interactive link...and displaying the graphical representation on the client computer..." col. 19 line 64 to col. 20 line 14 and col. 6 lines 65-67, col. 6 lines 25-30, and especially at col. 8 lines 42-46 and lines 57-67 "droplet (e.g. droplets 64 and 70) are dynamic and think applications...generally include information identifying the operating environment on the client computer 20" (trusted operating system)); "displaying a graphical representation of a plurality of compartments of said trusted operating system" and "enabling dragging of a graphical representation of said application towards a graphical representation of a compartment of said plurality of compartments" as recited by Claim 12 (col. 5 lines 10-17, "downloading to client computer a graphical representation of the interactive link...and displaying the graphical representation on the client computer..." col. 19 line 64 to col. 20 line 14 and col. 6 lines 65-67, col. 6 lines 25-30, and especially at col. 8 lines 42-46 and lines 57-67 "droplet (e.g. droplets 64 and 70) are dynamic and think applications...generally include information identifying the operating environment on the client computer 20" (trusted operating system)); "display portion displaying at least one compartment of said trusted operating system" and "dropping of said graphical representation of said at least one application on a graphical representation of said at least one compartment" as recited by Claim 17 (col. 5 lines 10-17, "downloading to client computer a graphical representation of the interactive link...and displaying the graphical representation on the client computer..." col. 19 line 64 to col. 20 line 14 and col. 6 lines 65-67,

col. 6 lines 25-30, and especially at col. 8 lines 42-46 and lines 57-67 "droplet (e.g. droplets 64 and 70) are dynamic and think applications...generally include information identifying the operating environment on the client computer 20" (trusted operating system)); and "enabling selection of an application from one or more applications" and "enabling association of said selected application with a compartment of the trusted operating system" as recited by Claim 22 (Fig. 1 and col. 5 lines 10-17, "downloading to client computer a graphical representation of the interactive link...and displaying the graphical representation on the client computer..." col. 19 line 64 to col. 20 line 14 and col. 6 lines 65-67, col. 6 lines 25-30, and especially at col. 8 lines 42-46 and lines 57-67 "droplet (e.g. droplets 64 and 70) are dynamic and think applications...generally include information identifying the operating environment on the client computer 20" (trusted operating system)).

2) Franco clearly disclose "a graphical representation of a compartment of a trusted operating system" (col. 8 lines 42-46 and lines 57-67 "droplet (e.g. droplets 64 and 70) are dynamic and think applications...generally include information identifying the operating environment on the client computer 20" (trusted operating system)).

Conclusion

4. **THIS ACTION IS MADE FINAL.** Applicant is reminded of the extension of time policy as set forth in 37 CFR 1.136(a).

A shortened statutory period for reply to this final action is set to expire THREE MONTHS from the mailing date of this action. In the event a first reply is filed within TWO MONTHS of the mailing date of this final action and the advisory action is not mailed until after

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the end of the THREE-MONTH shortened statutory period, then the shortened statutory period will expire on the date the advisory action is mailed, and any extension fee pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) will be calculated from the mailing date of the advisory action. In no event, however, will the statutory period for reply expire later than SIX MONTHS from the mailing date of this final action.

5. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Wei Y. Zhen whose telephone number is (571) 272-3708. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Tuan Dam can be reached on (571) 272-3695. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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